

Proposed Bill No. 6044

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LCO No. 1743

Referred to Committee on Government Administration and Elections

Introduced by:

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AN ACT CONCERNING AUDITS CONDUCTED BY THE STATE ELECTIONS ENFORCEMENT COMMISSION.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That title 9 of the general statutes be amended to make changes to
- 2 the audits conducted by the State Elections Enforcement Commission
- 3 that will: (1) Exempt from audits any candidate who does not accept
- 4 public campaign financing and spends less than the public financing
- 5 threshold for his or her race; (2) establish the maximum number of
- 6 candidates to be audited to be not more than forty per cent of those
- 7 eligible for an audit; and (3) establish as the method of choosing such
- 8 forty per cent to be audited as a lottery open to the public.

Statement of Purpose:

To make certain changes to the way candidates are audited by the State Elections Enforcement Commission.